

Sunday, June 4, 2017

**Pentecost**

8:30am

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As the prelude plays, silently come into the Lord’s presence.  
Open your heart and give yourself up to Christ who is here to meet you today.  
*“Be still and know that I am God.”* Psalm 46:10

PRELUDE *“Crown Him”* – arr. Murphy Dr. Josh Ganger, Trumpet

GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS / RINGING OF THE BELL

CALL TO WORSHIP *Psalm 71*

Leader: My lips will shout for joy when I sing praises to You;  
my soul also, which You have rescued.

**People: All day long my tongue will talk of Your righteous help.**

\*HYMN *“Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart”* No. 326

\*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

**Holy Spirit, come and wash over us in a powerful way. Loving God, remind us of Your faithfulness and how You creatively provide us with a way forward. Even though we have seen you at work in our lives, we still forget Your power and Your providence. Forgive us for turning back to our old ways and allowing doubt to be a constant in our lives. We pray this in the name of Jesus our Savior, Amen.**

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE

*[Please share Christ’s peace with one another with handshakes, hugs, kisses—however you feel led.]*

\*HYMN *“Spirit of the Living God”*

**Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me; Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.  
Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.**

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE Terri Reiner

*(For those who wish, children grades 1-4 can leave for children’s church at this time.)*

RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES

ANTHEM *“Feed Me, Lord”* – Liebergen Chancel Choir

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING *Exodus 14:21-31 (OT p61)*

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING *Romans 6:1-4 (NT p156)*

SERMON **ROMANS: FAITH FOR DUMMIES** Rev. Robert Bronkema  
*“Getting Out of the Mud”*

\*HYMN *“Breathe on Me, Breath of God”* No. 316

WE BRING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY *“Jesus Loves Me”* – arr. Nelson Dr. Josh Ganger, Trumpet

\*DOXOLOGY

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

Prayers of the People & The Lord’s Prayer

Words of Institution

Welcome

Distribution

*\*[Worshippers: please hold the bread, that we may eat together as Christ’s one people.  
Please drink as you are ready,  
in acknowledgment of our individual standing before the Lord.]*

\*ALLELUIA

\*BENEDICTION & CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE *“Let There Be Peace on Earth”*

\*POSTLUDE *“Trumpet Tune in C Major”* - Johnson

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**NEXT WEEK**  
Isaiah 40:28-30  
Romans 6:5-11  
*“Alive!”*

11:00am

Greeting & Announcements

\*Praise & Worship

*Open Up the Heavens*

*Holy is the Lord*

*Glory*

Prayer & Peace

Children's Message: Terri Reiner

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Scripture Readings

Exodus 14:21-31; Romans 6:1-4

Sermon

*"Getting Out of the Mud"*

Communion

\*Offering/Closing Song

*You Are My King (Amazing Love)*

\*Benediction

SERMON NOTES:

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